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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: James W. Simpkins

Application No.: 10/082,812

Group No.: 1614

Filed: 02/25/2002

Examiner: Weddington, K.

For: Methods of Prevention and Treatment of Ischemic Damage

Mail Stop Amendment
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is a small entity. A statement was already filed.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

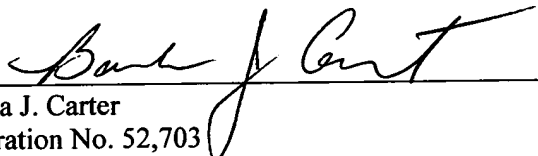
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FEE DEFICIENCY

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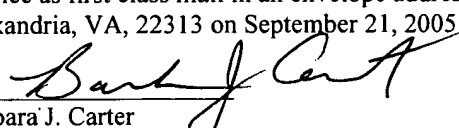
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RESPONSE C

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the office action mailed June 21, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows in order to put the application in condition for allowance:

Amendments to Pending Claims begins on p. 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on p. 3 of this paper.